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WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH THE MALABAR COAST, CEYLON, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under contract with Government, will despatch the S.S. CANARA, 1,903 Tons, 220 H. P., Commander J. C. Sharp, on SATURDAY, the 19th April 1879, at 2 p.m., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Coompta Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Madras, Cocanada, Visagapatam, Bimlipatam, Calingapatam, Gopalpore, False Point and at any other place where inducement offers.

Cargo for Singapore and China can be booked fortnightly by the steamers on this line hence or from intermediate ports for transhipment at Galle to the Steamers of the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes de la France which run regularly.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH THE PERSIAN GULF, VIA KURRACHEE,

Interchanging Cargo and Passengers at Bussorah, to and from Bagdad, with the Euphrates and Tigris Steam Navigation Company or other Steamers.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Contract with Government, will despatch the S. S. CALCUTTA, 863 Tons, 120 H. P., Commander J. Smith, on THURSDAY, the 24th April, 1879, at 4 p.m., to the PERSIAN GULF, touching at KURRACHEE, BUNDER ABBAS, LINGA, BAHREIN, BUSHIRE, FAO, BUSSREH, and occasionally at MAHOMERAH.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

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THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Contract with Government, will despatch Steamers to Kurrachee every THURSDAY at 4 p.m., and every MONDAY at 10 a.m.

The S.S. AKOLA, 578 Tons, 1 0 H. P., Commander J. W. Stewart, on MONDAY, the 21st April 1879, at 10 a. m., calling at Veraval, Mangrole, Pore Bunder, and Cutch Mandvie, both ways.

The S.S. CALCUTTA, 863 Tons, 120 H. P., Commander J. Smith, will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 24th April 1879, at 4 p.m.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

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ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

THE REGULAR STEAMERS LEAVE GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th, *of each Month*,

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY,
(Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.)

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	
Aden	Rs. 220	Rs. 150	Rs. 40	Intermediate Winter
Suez	260	220	60	
Port Said	280	240	80	
Messina	300	240	140	
Naples	300	240	140	
Leghorn	300	240	140	
Genoa	300	240	140	
Marseilles	310	250	145	

Children under 3 years, free of charge; Children not above 7 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE of CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Handbooks. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agents.

NEXT STEAMERS FROM BOMBAY:—

ASSIRIA, to sail on THURSDAY, 1st May 1879.
MANILLA, to sail on SATURDAY, 10th May 1879.
AUSTRALIA, to sail on SUNDAY, 1st June 1879.
SINGAPORE to sail on TUESDAY, 1st July 1879.

Passengers and Cargo are now booked for

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second class accommodation; and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

The steamers of this Company, as a rule, start precisely at 10 A.M. Any unavoidable detention will, however, be advertised at least one day previously.

For hand-books of information, rates of freight, &c., apply to

C. GRONDONA,
Agent Rubattino Steam Navigation Company,
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Bombay, Jan., 1879.

RUBATTINO STEAM NAVIGATION CO. EXTRA STEAMER to SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES and GENOA.

THE Company's New and splendid Steamer MANILLA, of 5,000 Tons carrying capacity, will sail WITHOUT FAIL on the 10th May 1879.

For Freight and Passage apply to
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"HALL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

S. S. CITY OF BALTIMORE.
BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL,
TO SAIL 30TH INSTANT.

IT has now been arranged that this favourite steamer will sail from BOMBAY (instead of Kurrachee) on the 30th instant.

For passage, &c., apply to
W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

ANCHOR LINE OF STEAMERS.

S. S. TRINACRIA,
2,107 Tons, 424 H.P.,
CAPTAIN ROBERT HUTCHINSON.
BOMBAY TO TRIESTE AND VENICE. CALLING AT BRINDISI TO LAND PASSENGERS.

THIS Steamer will sail as above on the 3rd May positively.

Passage Money to Brindisi ..... Rs. 160
Do. Trieste and Venice ..... ,, 200

For passage, &c., apply to
W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

SAVING OF 20 PER CENT. FUEL.

IMPORTANT TO MANUFACTURING COMPANIES AND OTHERS.

MESSRS. W. GALLOWAY and SONS, Engineers and Boiler-Makers, Manchester, having obtained the FIRST PRIZE GOLD MEDAL at the Paris Exhibition for the GALLOWAY COMPOUND ENGINE and BOILER against a strong competition of Engineers from all parts of the world. The Judges gave the award on three special points, viz., economy in fuel which was considerable; secondly, the patent cut of valve combined with strength for high pressure; thirdly, superior workmanship and simplicity. We have APPOINTED Messrs. JAMES SCOTT and Co., Bombay, our SOLE AGENTS for BRITISH INDIA, and beside all references to be made to them, who, will furnish all particulars, prices,

Messrs. JAMES SCOTT and Co. have in stock in Bombay 25,000 Spindles cotton spinning and preparing machinery with stores of every description to suit. Also Horizontal Compound Engines, 25" High-pressure Cylinder, 36" Low, 6 ft. Stroke, Compound High-pressure 23. "(All the above are new.) Also one Sailing Hydraulic Press for Piece-Goods 12" Ram, 3 Portable Engines 8 and 10 E. P., 45 Cotton Jins, 20,000 Mule Spindles, 10 Tons Change Wheels, 10 Tons Shafting. Every description of sundry Mill Stores, Loom Boss and Top Rollers, 600 Drums and Fullers, all sizes from 12" to 70," Hose Ripping, Roller Leather, Roller and Clearer Flannel.

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JAMES SCOTT & Co.

27, Apollo Street, Sassoon Buildings.

P. S.—Mr. Scott who has had a long and extensive experience in the sale and purchase of all classes of Machinery will be glad to report and value Mills or Factories on most reasonable terms.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched for EUROPE:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1879
(e) BOKHARA	2982	450	J. Orman	21st April.
— BANGALORE	2063	500	C. Fraser	28th do.
(a) INDUS	3470	500	S. D. Shallard.	4th May
THIBET	2593	400	J. H. Torbock	12th do.
(e) SURAT	3141	530	W. E. Breese	19th do.
— KHIVA	2959	450	G. Leo	26th do.
(a) NIZAM	2725	460	A. E. Barlow	30th do.
— VENETIA	2726	450	C. G. Perrins	6th June.
(e) GWALIOR	2725	460	J. C. Babot	13th do.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (e) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to
J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 17th April 1879. Superintendent.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
ZAMBESI	2431	370	A. Symons	28th April 1879.
TEHERAN	2569	400	A. H. Johnson	12th May.
KHEDIVE	3742	600	J. D. Steward	26th May.
MALWA	2938	450	P. S. Tomlin	9th June.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

For Passage, &c., apply to
J. R. KELLOCK,
Bombay, 17th April 1879. Superintendent.

STEAM TO KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
ASSAM	3083	500	N. Stewart	25th April.
TANJORE	2263	450	W. W. Fentiman	23rd May.
NIAM	3014	500	G. H. Hector	20th June.
ASRAM	3033	500	N. Stewart	18th July.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

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Bombay, 17th April 1879. Superintendent.

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL,
TWO MILLIONS STERLING.
FIRE RESERVE FUND ... £261,444

Fire Premiums after deducting Re-insurances.. } In 1870 ... £139,808 ,, 1878 ... £295,149 ,, 1877 ... £450,882

POLICIES issued and CLAIMS promptly paid without reference to Head Office, by

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SALES BY AUCTION.

S. SHRICRISTNAJEE AND COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. S. SHRICRISTNAJEE and Co. will sell by Public Auction, by order of the Mortgagee, and on account of the Mortgagor, Hormusjee Bhicajee Kurrungie, the following property THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 19th instant, at 4-30 p.m.

All that piece or parcel of Fasendary ground, containing by admeasurement 203 square yards, with the dwelling-houses standing, whereof one house consists of two compartments and the other of one compartment, situate on the west side of a public passage called Old Sonapore Cross Lane, in the sub-district of Bhooleshwar, and bounded on the east by the Old Sonapore Cross Road, on the west by the house of the late Pallonjee Dorabjee Mehrjee, on the north by the vacant ground of Moroba Naronsett, and the south by Old Sonapore Road, and which said premises are registered in the books of the Collector of House Assessment under Nos. 93 and 94.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

S. SHRICRISTNAJEE & Co.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON AND COMPANY.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE BANDED PROPERTY AT MUSJID BUNDER.

On THURSDAY, the 8th May 1879, (if not previously sold by private contract) Messrs. MEHRJEE JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by Public Auction on the premises at 4 p.m. by order of the Trustees of the Estate of Messrs. Rustomjee Dadabhoy Cama and Co., the following valuable landed property:—

All that piece or parcel of land or ground containing by admeasurement one hundred and sixteen square yards or thereabouts with the messuage, tenement, dwelling house or building standing thereon, situate, lying and being in Bombay, outside the Fort, on the north side of Musjid Bunder Cross Road, in the subdistrict of Bhooleshwar, known as the Agasee Wadee Chalice, numbered 36, in the books of the Municipality of Bombay, and bounded on the east by the house belonging to Hurbhaw Nursey and Lilbhaie, widow, on the west by the Canse Syed Street, on the north by the house of Hurbhaw Nursey, and on the south by the Musjid Bunder Cross Road, and which said premises were formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the vendors.

The ladders descending on the terrace of this chawl from the house of Kessowjee Jadowjee, the next door neighbour, have been removed by order of the High Court and the inmates of Kessowjee's house prevented from having access and use of the terraces, which now are available solely for the tenants of this chawl.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to the undersigned.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co.
Bombay, 18th April 1879. Auctioneers.

WINES, SPIRITS, BEER, &c.

LIGHT WINES FOR THE HOT SEASON.

Cash. Qts.	pts.		Credit. Qts.	pts.
15-8	,,	Grave	16-0	,,
17-12	19-12	Light Chablis	18-8	20-8
19-4	21-0	Light Sauterne	20-0	22-0
19-4	21-0	Laubenheimer	20-0	22-0

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NOTICES.

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TO GOVERNMENT and MUNICIPAL ENGINEERS, &c., &c.—Messrs. W. B. JOHNSTON and Co., Contractors, are prepared to do any sort of Wood or Iron Work for Buildings, Bridges, Railway Waggons, &c. &c. &c. Timber in Balk or Scantlings supplied on the shortest notice. Drawings and Estimates prepared.

Bombay, No. 1, Chinchpoogly Road, near the G. E. S. and Weaving Company, Parell Road.

POLO. POLO.

Canes with ash heads..... .....each Rs. 2 8
Do. boxwood heads ..... ,, ,, 3 8
Balls..... .....per dozen. ,, 6 12

Less 10 per cent. discount for cash.

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BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

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Price List, Wholesale and General, furnished on receipt of card.

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THE only preparations fit for Invalids; incomparably superior to the commercial Liebig's Extracts, guaranteed perfectly pure and made from carefully selected material. With the addition of a little bread or vegetable seasoning, and, if desired, fat, they form most delicious soups.

LIEBIG'S NUTRITIVE EXTRACT.—A liquid extract of the finest meat. Bottles Re. 1, Rs. 2, and	Rs. 3 8
EXTRACT OF MUTTON.—Quarter pound jars... ,,	3 0
EXTRACT OF CHICKEN.—(Borne by patients who can take nothing else) jars ..... ,,	2 8

D. S. KEMP & CO.,
SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

NOTICE.

LOTTERY! LOTTERY!
IN AID OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHURCH, DABOOL, BOMBAY.

IN order that the accounts of the above Lottery may be CLOSED and the RESULT SUBMITTED to the PARTIES CONCERNED, the winners of prizes who have not as yet applied for them are requested to do so within 3 months from this date, after which date the accounts will be closed and the unpaid or unclaimed prizes forfeited for the benefit of the Church.

The Agents also who have not as yet settled their accounts are requested to do so as early as possible that the undersigned may not be COMPELLED TO PUBLISH THEIR NAMES together with the amount due.

All communications to be addressed to the Treasurer.

A. A. LOBO, Rev.
J. P. D. DeSOUZA,
S. P. DeSOUZA. } Trustees.

S. V. QUADROS, Treasurer, 35, Cavel.
Bombay, 28th March 1879.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WILSON'S GREAT WORLD CIRCUS.

THIS (FRIDAY) NIGHT.
GRAND CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.

COME AND SEE
THE LEAP FOR LIFE.
COME AND SEE
THE QUEEN OF THE AIR,
COME AND SEE
THE SYLPH OF THE ARENA.

THE PERFORMANCE WILL BE SURE to please and gratify all beholders. It will consist of the most thrilling, daring, varied, most exciting, and marvellous feats of strength and agility; also of highly educated horses,

ALL THE STRENGTH AND RESOURCES of this magnificent establishment will be brought into requisition to provide an entertainment of rare excellence, talent and ability that has never been equalled or excelled.

THERE IS NO PLACE in Bombay where you can enjoy a pleasanter evening than at Wilson's Circus.

THE OPPORTUNITY NOW AFFORDED should not be lost as the Circus will only remain in Bombay for a very short time.

VISIT AN ENTERTAINMENT where you are sure to be satisfied, well pleased, and get the value for your money.

THE GREATEST COMPANY and the most reasonable Prices of Admission which it is possible to imagine.

MR. WILSON when selecting this Great Company in Europe anticipated the wants of an Indian public, well knowing that liberal patronage was certain where real talent existed.

LAST NIGHTS! LAST NIGHTS!!

A MAMMOTH PROGRAMME will be presented every evening during our short stay in Bombay.

The Company, one and all, will vie for the palm of superiority to please and amuse a generous public.

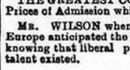
SPECIAL NOTICE.

PAY A VISIT TO THOSE wonderful curiosities and works of our Creator in the
FAMILY OF GORILLAS.

SOMETHING NEW UNDER THE SUN.
THE SHOOTING GALLERY
is now open from 7 A.M. to 12 P.M.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS.

S. S. RYDAL HALL.
2,700 Tons, 400 H. P.
BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.



THIS Steamer will sail as above on the 17th May. Her Saloon and State Rooms are all on Deck. For passage or further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

STEAM TO RANGOON.

MR. DAVID MacIVER'S Fine Steamer THESSALY will sail as above on the 24th instant. She has good accommodation on Deck for a limited number of First Class Passengers.

For Freight and Passage apply to
W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 17th April 1879.

TO BE LET, from 1st May, "VICTORIA LODGE" at Byculla, near the Victoria Gardens, at present occupied by Alfred King, Esquire. For rent and other particulars apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

TO BE LET, FURNISHED, MR. GROOM'S BUNGALOW on Mount Pleasant, Malabar Hill. For rent and other particulars apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

TO BE LET, a very COOL RESIDENCE in the Fort, either furnished or unfurnished. For rent and other particulars apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
4, Hummum Street. House Agent.

PUNDIT GUTTULALAJI GHANSHAMJI TESTIMONIAL FUND.

THE PRESENTATION of an ADDRESS to the celebrated learned PUNDIT GUTTULALAJI GHANSHAMJI will take place at the Madhav Bag on SUNDAY next, the 20th April 1879, at 5 p.m., when the members of the Hindoo Community are requested to attend.

VUNDRAVANDASS PURSHOTUMDASS,
TRIBHOVANDAS VURJIVANDAS,
CHUTTURBHOOJ MORARJI,
GOKULDAS JAGMOHANDAS,
Honorary Secretaries.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS for the supply of NAGPORE COREED, GRAM, BRAN, and MATRA to the Bombay Municipality, from 1st May to 30th November 1879, will be received by the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay up to 2 p. m. on FRIDAY, the 25th instant.

The probable quantities required (English weights) at each stable daily can be ascertained in the Health Officer's Office, where Forms of Tender may be obtained on payment of Rupee One each.

Samples of Grain to accompany each Tender.

A deposit of Rs. 500 will be required with each Tender.

The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

J. H. GRANT,
Municipal Commissioner.

Municipal Commissioner's Office, Bombay, 17th April 1879.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

In the GOODS, CHATTELS, CREDITS, and EFFECTS of BHICKAJEE ELLAPA, late of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, deceased.

MOGULJEE HERRAJEE ..... Applicant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an APPLICATION has been made to the High Court of Judicature at Bombay on its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction by the abovenamed Applicant (as the nephew and sole next of kin of the said deceased) for LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION of the Goods, Chattels, Credits, and Effects of the abovenamed deceased. All persons concerned therein are apprised thereof.—Dated this 17th day of April 1879.

KHUNDERAO MOROJEE,
Applicant's Attorney.

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.
ADMIRALTY JURISDICTION.
Suit No. 1 of 1879.

JOSEPH FREDERICK ALDRIDGE and GEORGE SALMON, and HERBERT HELME, all of London, and carrying on business there and in Bombay under the name, style and firm of ALDRIDGE, SALMON and COMPANY ..... Plaintiffs.

The OSPREY, now lying in Bombay Harbour, of which JOHN HUGHES is the Master, her tackle, apparel, and furniture ..... Defendant.

WHEREAS by an Order made in the above suit by the HONORABLE SIR CHARLES SARGENT, dated the 11th day of March 1879, it was ordered that unless the said British Barque Osprey, her tackle, apparel, and furniture were sold within one fortnight from the date thereof, by private contract, to be approved of by the Judge in Chambers, the said barque, her tackle, apparel and furniture should be sold by the Sheriff of Bombay by PUBLIC AUCTION, and that the gross proceeds of such sale should be paid into the Registry of the said Court, and it was further ordered that the costs of and incidental to the said order should be costs in the cause. And whereas the said vessel, her tackle, apparel, and furniture have not been sold by private contract as in the said order provided.

NOW IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED and NOTIFIED that on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of May 1879, at 12 o'clock noon, the Sheriff of Bombay will, under and by virtue of the said order, put up FOR SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION at the Sheriff's Office, the said barque, her tackle, apparel, and furniture.

The said Barque her tackle, apparel and furniture to be paid for at the time of sale.

For further information and conditions of sale application should be made at the office of the Sheriff.—Dated this 17th day of April 1879.

ATMARAM PANDURANG,
Sheriff of Bombay.

Messrs. ARDASIR and HORMUSJEE, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

STOUT WATERPROOF GROUND SHEETS.

FITTED WITH BRASS EYELETS.

6 feet by 3 feet	each Rs.	9	0
7 ,, 4½ ,, ...	,, ,,	14	0
8 ,, 5 ,, ...	,, ,,	20	0
DRAB TWILL SHEETING with the Waterproofing between two textures, very durable, 60 inches wide.....per yard.	,,	6	8
Ditto in Sheets, about 7½ by 5 ft. each	,,	22	8

Ten per cent. Discount for Cash.

TREACHER AND CO., LIMITED,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

PETIT MEDOC CLARET.

THE Company's importation of this Wine remains unequalled at the price. The Public are respectfully requested to compare the quality with similar Brands (so styled) recently shipped to this market.

Per doz. Quarts, Cash, Rs. 13-0.

TREACHER & COMPANY, (Ld.)

OLD GLENLIVET.

THIS WHISKY is a blend from some of the most noted Distilleries in Scotland, and is guaranteed to consist of PURE MALT SPIRIT only. It is thoroughly matured, very mellow, and entirely free from any smoky or objectionable flavour.

As large holders of the different kinds from which the Blend is made, we are in a position to allow the various Distillings to become thoroughly amalgamated before being bottled, an advantage which consumers of the article will readily appreciate.

TREACHER & Co. feel that it would be an insult to the intelligence of their Constituents to *put forward* Chemical Analysis and Medical Reports regarding this "Fine Old Spirit," as, however, gratifying these may be in themselves, they are obviously useless as affording a guarantee, that the Spirit offered, is the same as that commented upon.

TREACHER & Co. consider that the proper test of excellence of any article, consists in the demand for it, and judged by that standard, the fact, that, the sale of their "Fine Old Glenlivet" has increased more than tenfold during the past three years, and continues monthly to increase, may be accepted as conclusive proof of its character and value.

Samples sent on application.

Per 1 dozen case ..... Cash Rs. 22-8.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,

WINE MERCHANTS,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA AND POONA.

THACKER & COMPANY, LIMITED,

ESPLANADE HOTEL, BOMBAY.

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THE BEST WORKS IN ALL BRANCHES KEPT IN STOCK.

THE Newest Books imported by every Mail. Orders sent Home weekly for Books not in stock.

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Pearl Centre and Enamelled, Rs. 115.

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FRIEDRICHSHALLER	pints ,,	6 8	7 8
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PULLNA	pints ,,	9 0	10 0
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"Squeezers" with round corner...per pack		Re. 1 8	Re. 1 12
,, ,,	doz. packs	17 0	19 0
,, ,, gilt edged	,, pack	1 12	2 0
,, ,, ,,	,, doz. packs	20 0	22

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Extract from Lancet, 18th March 1877.

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"Although these preparations can now hardly be called novelties, we notice them on account of their great value in medical practice.

"They consist of the pure juice of the flesh, extracted by heat and clarified, but not concentrated and otherwise untouched. The juice sets to a thin Jelly as clear as sherry, and the flavour of the meat is perfectly preserved. The first idea of this kind of preparation is due, we think, to Dr. Druitt, and if so, the profession is indebted to him for a very useful combination of food and stimulant. The essences are best used cold, but may also be liquified by heat, and used as enemata. Of course they do not keep long when once opened.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

THURSDAY EVENING, 17TH APRIL 1879.

CONSOLS in London yesterday were still quoted at 97⅛; French Rentes at 115; Enfaced Rupee Paper, Fours at 73½; Fours-and-a-half at 78½.

Money in London continues remarkably easy. A payment of £250,000 has gone into the Bank of England, and in the open Market 3 months' sight Bank Bills are discountable at ⅛ and 6 months' at ¼ per cent. below the Bank rate. Such a condition of the Market cannot be accepted at the moment as an indication of good trade, but it is undoubtedly a factor in the influences likely to bring about an improvement.

In the London General Produce Markets there is no change in prices. Coffee is reported irregular, Linseed quiet, Rapeseed dull.

Piece Goods in Manchester continue firm, and Reuter reports the Liverpool Cotton Market as closing quiet at unchanged prices, the day's sales being estimated at 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were Surats. According to private advices, however, the Market closed firmer after a temporary depression, and the tenor of the New York telegram accounts for this July shipment having recovered from 12·02 to 12·11 cents. per lb. although ready Mid. Uplands was still only worth 11⅞ cents. The receipts at the U. S. ports to date are as follows :—

	This week.	Last week.	1878.	1877.
Wednesday's Receipts	5,000	5,000	6,000	5,000
Five days do.	27,000	30,000	36,000	15,000
Total since 1st Sept.	4,230,000	.....	4,006,000	3,774,000

At the weekly biddings for Council drafts on India in London yesterday Rs. 19,80,000 were alloted to Calcutta, Rs. 30,000 to Madras, and Rs. 4,90,000 to Bombay, at an average of 1s 7·13d., tenders on all three places at 1s. 7 1-16d. per rupee, receiving 21 per cent. of the amounts applied for. This shows an average decline of about 1-16d. per rupee as compared with last week's biddings, and in sympathy with the fall Bar Silver has receded from 49¼d. to 49d. per oz. The amount to be offered at next week's biddings is again 25 lakhs, and it seems now very evident that Government will continue to offer that sum, so long as they can obtain 1s. 7d. per rupee, the rate estimated in the Budget, relying upon the proposed sterling loan for any deficiency in the amount of the home charges. From the advices by the Mail it is apparent that the bill authorising the 10 million loan is only held over pending the Easter recess, and taking into account the large majority the Government has in the House, we may almost take it for granted that the bill will be passed. In that event 1s. 7d. per rupee may probably be considered the minimum rate for Council drafts all through the year.

EXCHANGE.—The Market opened weak with a decline of 1-16d. in Bank and 3-32d. in private paper, and for a time it seemed probable that even easier rates would be established. During the day, however, although only a comparatively moderate amount of bills was offered, a slightly steadier feeling was apparent, and we close at the following figures :—

	per Re.
Bank Bills, on demand .....1s. 7 3-16d.	
Do. 6 months' sight...1s. 7¼d.	
Credits, 3 ,, ,, ...1s. 7 7-16 to 15-32d.	,,
Documents, 3 ,, ,, ...1s. 7¼d.	,,
France ...2·05.	

In gold there is nothing doing, the nominal quotation being Rs. 19-11 per tola. Rates on Calcutta are unaltered at 3-16 per cent. premium for demand, 1¼ per cent. discount for 60 days' sight.

GOVERNMENT PAPER is dull and we now quote :—Fours, Rs. 92½; Fours-and-a-half, Rs. 97½ to ¾.

THE SHARE MARKET is quiet and real transactions are on a very small scale. Bank of Bombays are ¼ per cent. firmer, closing at Rs. 652½. The only other movements are in Spinning and Weaving Companies' shares, Khandeish Spinning being quoted Rs. 20 lower, Manockjee Patit Rs. 5 higher.

COTTON opened this morning very quiet, but became slightly firmer only to become dull again, however later on. For a time rates ruled easier and there were more sellers than buyers, but in the evening a decidedly firm feeling became apparent after receipt of the opening telegrams from Liverpool. The transactions during the day have been comparatively small, consisting mainly of native G. F. Omra at Rs. 213 to Rs. 213½ per candy, of which about 1,000 bales have changed hands. The arrivals yesterday were large—15,142 bales, making a total of 44,488 bales for the week. We quote prices at the close as follows :—

This week.	Last week.	1878.	1877.
Good Ginned Broach, April.....Rs. 239	per candy.		
Do, Omra, ,, ... ,, 224	,,		
F. G. F. do ,, ... ,, 219	,,		
G. F. do ,, ... ,, 214	,,		
Good Dholleras ,, ... ,, 224	,,		
F. G. F. do ,, ... ,, 218	,,		

SEEDS are quiet and practically unchanged.

FREIGHTS are, if anything, a trifle steadier. For Liverpool by steam and sail 21s. 3d. is now the current rate for ready shipment, while for May 25s. per ton is asked. For the Mediterranean ports business is said to have been done at 25s. payable here.

PIECE GOODS are not more active as regards the extent of business done, but prices are very firmly maintained and, if anything, an upward tendency is apparent for the leading makes of Gray Goods.

COALS are firm and hardening in price, there being few sellers to arrive.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

BANKS.

Bank.	No. of Shares.	Nomi. Value p. sh.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash Rates per Share.
		Rs.	Rs.	p. a.	
Agra Bank	100,000	100	all	6 p. ct	130
Bank of Bengal	40,000	500	all	4 do	725
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	5 do	652½
Bank of Madras	80,000	500	all	3 do	650
National Bank of India.	87,328	235 £12-10	6 do		104

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Albert Mills	400	2,000	1,700	—		nominal
Alexandra S. and W. Co.	2,250	415	all	25 p. a.		nominal
Alfred Mills	150	1,000	1,000	50 p.a.		850
Allianc Spinning	500	2,500	all	30 p. a.		1,200
Anglo-Indian S. and W. Company	80,000	100	100	2 p. ct		60
Bhowmaggur M. and P. Company	300	2,000		40 p.a.		800
Bombay United	800	1,000	all	25 p.a*		690
Mill Company	2,000	200	all	15 p.a*		35
Broach Mills	1,000	1,000	all	10 p.a*		nominal
Colaba S. and W. Co. ..	1,000	1,000	all	25 p.a*		nominal
Coorla S. and W. Co. ..	1,000	1,000	all	30 p.a*		600
Central India S. and W. Company	2,500	500	all	30 p. a.		550
Dharumsey Spinning ...	3,000	2,000	all	35 p.a*		290
Empress S. and W. Co...	1,000	1,000				800
Fleming S. and W. Co..	3,750	500	all	40 p.a*		nominal
Great Eastern.....	1,400	1,000	all	30 p.a*		730
Hindustan S. & W. Co..	875	1,000	all	30 p.a.		720
Hydrabad S. and W. Co	700	1,000	1,000			480
Jawraj Balioo Mills	750	1,000	all	35 p.a*		590
Khandeish Spinning ...	750	1,000	all	50 p.a*		550
K. Muncjee S. & W. Co.	1,000	1,000	all	50 p.a*		530
Madras Spinning	800	1,250	all	Nil		360
Madras U. Spinning	425	1,000	all	50 p.a*		1,075
Manchester & Bombay S. and W. Co.	30,000	50	50	..		5
Mandvie S. and W. Co...	1,000	500	all	28p.a*		nominal
Manockjee Petit's.	2,500	1,000	all	40p.a*		1,030
Morarjee Spinning	1,043	1,000	all	30 p.a*		840
Mazagon S. and W. Co..	2,000	5,000	..	..		160
National S. and W. Co. of India.....	950	1,000	all	30 p. a.		675
Nartad S. and W. Co...	400	1,000	all	..		nominal
Nicol Press Manufacturing Co., Ld.	600	2,000	all	..		do.
Nursey S. and W. Co....	2,500	400	all	10 p.a*		300
Oriental	1,000	625	all	25 p.a*		550
Prince of Wales Spinning	600	1,250	all	75		210
Rasoon S. & W. Co....	1,500	1,000	all	25 p.a.		600
Soondercbas Spinning ..	668	1,000	all	75 p.a.		500
Do do. 2 Shares.	500	1,000	250	125 p.a.		200
Shoorjee S. and W. Co.	800	1,000	all	20 p. a.		700
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	all	25 p. a.		5

* Per Share for the half-year.

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Land Co. (New.)	4,000	2,000	all	15 p.a*	795
Fore Land and Pier Co. Limited	7,500	150	all	4 p. a.	105
Mazagon Land	1,750	2,000	1,000	20 p. a.	400
Port Canning Land Company, Limited ..	6,000	1,460	all	15 p. a.	265

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE AND LISTS OF PASSENGERS BY SEA.

THE S.S. CLAN RONALD, 1,356 tons, Captain G. Dalzarzo, sailed yesterday for Rangoon in ballast.

THE SHIP MACDUFF, 1,235 tons, Captain G. Dalzarzo, will sail to-day for Liverpool, with a general cargo.

THE S.S. COMPTON, 1,186 tons, Captain James Hogg, arrived in harbour on the 16th inst. from Aden in ballast, and 50 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. CO.'S S.S. PACHAMBA, 544 tons, Captain J. A. Magenis, sailed yesterday for Persian Gulf via Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. Herbage, Mrs. Gustom Byram and child, Mr. Thomas and 101 deck passengers.

THE B. I. N. CO.'S S. S. CHANDA, 1,304 tons, Captain M. H. Day, arrived in harbour yesterday from Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. D. L. McKenzie, Mr. Maynard, Mr. Randall, Mr. Lewes, Mr. Sexton, Mr. H. H. Scott, Mr. A. Spens, Miss Spens, Mr. and Mrs. Watt, Mr. J. Crawford, one gentleman, one signaller, and 149 deck passengers.

ARRIVAL OF THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

THE P. AND O. CO.'S S.S. ASSAM, 1,747 tons, Captain H. Stewart, arrived in harbour on the 16th inst. from Australia with the Australian Mails, a general cargo, and the following passengers :—Mr. C mrin, Mr. Halifax, Mr. Shotford, Miss Dollan, Mr. and Mrs. Laing, Mr. Wolfe, Mr. Hatton, Mr. Bayliss, Mr. and Mrs. Hansford, Mrs. Keogh and child, Miss Keogh, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton, Mr. and Mrs. Bucks, and Mr. and Mrs. Pleasum.

ARRIVAL OF THE CHINA MAIL.

THE P. AND O. CO.'S S.S. BOKHARA, 1,775 tons, Captain J. Orman, arrived in harbour yesterday from China with the following passengers :—Mr. Nowrojee, Mrs. Rodgers and child, D. D. Muilen, Mr. Allibhoy, Captain Brown, Mr. J. Newdick, Mr. H. W. Ulan, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips and 4 children, Miss M. Rice, Miss R. Rowden, Miss J. Smith, Mr. Nicholson, 2 Misses Dickson, and one native.

She brought the following cargo :—From Shanghai—156 packages specie, 10 bundles mattings, 25 packages silk, 2 boxes silk piecegoods, and 499 packages tea. From Yokohama—30 packages specie and 3 cases books. From Hongkong—189 cases umbrellas, 898 packages sugar-candy, 1 box gold, 1 box gold coins, 94 boxes specie, 5 boxes cigars, 44 boxes silk piecegoods, 289 packages silk, 1 box jewellery, 3 boxes cotton piecegoods, 5 boxes gold leaves, 10 boxes preserves, 30 packages sundries, 20 cases Chinaware, 483 pack ges tea, 25 packages matt ings, 1,915 packages sugar, 257 cases camphor, 191 cases glass bangles, 7 cases white copper 6 cases Chinaroots, 200 cases cassia, 22 cases glass beads, 35 cases fire-crackers, 20 cases vermillion, 1,600 jars, 2,206 tiles copper. From Penang—10 packages benzoin. From Singapore—2 cases goods, 39 packages silk, 25 cases benzoin, 3 cases cigars, 32 bags nutmegs, and 4 cases mace.

ARRIVALS.

April.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From.
16	Assam (s).....	Stewart	Melbourne, Mar 22.
	Compton (s).....	Hogg	Aden, Apr 9.
17	Rukbara (s).....	Orman	Shanghai, Mar 22.
	Chanda (s)	Day	Calcutta, Mar 25.

DEPARTURES.

April.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
17	Sparton	Crosby	Amsterdam.
	Earl Granville	Campbell	Bremerhaven.
	Pachamba (s).....	Magenis	P. Gulf via Kurrachee.
	Clan Ronald (s).....	Hoole.....	Rangoon.

The ship Macduff, Dalzarno, to Liverpool, obtained her port clearence yesterday.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—
Steamer Pokhara to Southampton.
Steamer Assam to Australia.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

April.
11 Poonah(s).....Chapman ..... Southampton, Mar 6.
Byculla (s) .....Mason ..... Bombay.
Bougainville .....Lefure ..... Bombay, Mar 6.
12 Pleiades (s) .....Wilks..... Liverpool, Mar 8.
13 Baghdad (s).....Sayers ..... Bombay, Mar 22.
Jane Porter.....Legg ..... Hull, Dec 11.
Mabel Young .....Grane..... —, Dec 23.

DEPARTURES.

Apr. 11.—Ship Oriflamme.
Apr. 12.—Steamer Statesman. Ships British Ambassador, Candahar, Grecian and Cape St. Vincent.
Apr. 13.—Steamer Ethiopia.

PASSENGERS.

Per Pleiades—Col Sherriff, Mrs Sherriff, Capt Salkeld, Mr Clayton, Dr Sproule, Mr Rigg, Mr Reynell, Mr R Wood, Mrs Rose and 2 children.

VESSELS SPOKEN.

By Mabel Young—Lady Ver de Vera and Verona, both bound to the Cape.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

April.
12 Muzuffer .... Toondy.
13 D. of Devonshire(s). ..... Calcutta.
Himalaya(s) .... Rangoon.
14 D. of Buccleuch (s). ..... London.

April. DEPARTURES.
12 Chingura (s)..... ..... Bombay.
13 Scindia (s)..... ..... Rangoon.
Muzuffer .... Moulmein.
14 D. of Devonshire(s). ..... London.

DEPARTURE OF PASSENGERS.

Per s s Duke of Devonshire, for London :—From Calcutta —Major and Mrs Woodcock and child, Mr and Mrs Crawford, child and sister, Mrs Burridge 4 children, Mrs Day and child, Mrs Eddis, Mrs Barker, Mr and Mrs Peade, Mr Kershaw, Mr Manson, Mrs Shield, 2 Masters Kernanders and Major Maynard and 2 children. From Madras—Mrs Taylor and child, Mr and Mrs Champion, Mr Rice, Major Holloway and Master R Firth.

DAILY IMPORTS.—APRIL 17.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Branksome Hall s—6 crates earthenware, Nanjee Canjee.
Sidonian s—100 casks beer, C Macdonald and Co; 11 tierces glassware, Nanjee Canjee.

FROM LONDON.

Weatherfield—1,000 bundles steel faggot, Ritchie, Steuart and Co.
Essex—4,525 bars iron, Ritchie, Steuart & Co.
Blairgowrie—205 packages gunpowder, Abdoolhoosein Escoffchy.
Lombardy s—80 cases yellow metal sheets, Ritchie, Steuart & Co.
Orchis s—2 bags corks, Byramjee Nusserwanjee.
Manilla s—50 drums linseed oil, Tyebally Chandabhoy and Co.

FROM TRIESTE.

Medea s—10 cases glass beads, M. Mondolfo & Co.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Macassar—500 boxes brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer & Sons.
Australia s—25 boxes brandy, Eduljee Bazonjee.

DAILY EXPORTS.—APRIL 17.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Knight Companion—100 bales cotton, A Blaschek and Co.
Raphael—59 bales hemp, S S Narreiwalla; 1,050 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 100 bales cotton, Lyon and Co.
Sailor—253 cwts myrabolams, Khutow Muthoora; 250 cwts myrabolams, Poonja Jewraz; 62 bales cotton waste and 65 bales cotton, Govindram Dwarkadas; 65 bales wool, Jewraz Dunjee; 25 bales wool, Tribowuli Chimundas; 83 bales wool, Bhimsee Nuthoo; 300 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 200 bales cotton, J U Bushby and Co; 76 bales cotton, Yulubhoy Mulseedas; 550 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co; 55 bales wool Luckmidass Khimjee; 40 bales wool, Mooljee Jaitha and Co.
Celia—1,000 cwts myrabolams, Dewjee Premjee; 80 bales wool, Goculdass Toolseedas; 30 bales wool, Govindjee Madhowjee; 95 bales wool, Hurewanjee Vussonjee; 120 cwts bones, Hudson and Co.
Eros s—4 0 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Evesham Abby—350 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co.
Shakespeare—17 bales cotton, Thos H Moore and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Bokhara s—8 cwts M of P shells, Vura Gangjee; 51¼ cwts M of P shells, Nensebhoy Gangjee; 12 cwts fishmaws, Alladin Mahomed Dama; 2 cases fishmaws and 173 cwts D horns, Peerbhoy Damjee; 6 bales hides, Ramoobhoy Rasoolbhoy; 27 bales hides, Goolamally Peerbhoy; 200 bales cotton, Kilick Nikson and Co; 146 cwts olibanum, Rundelly Allybhoy; 309¾ cwts olibanum, Dawoodbhoy Kassom; 117 cwts coir fiber and 40 cwts coir yarn, Chapsee Coorpail; 450 cwts myrabolams and 40 bags turmeric, Jetha Purshotum; 780 rapeseed and 150 cwts linseed, Nuppoo Nensee; 50 cwts ginger 3½ cwts D horns and 6 cwts crotton seed, and 27¼ cwts olibanum, Alimahomed Hassum; 45 cwts D horns, 2 cwts B horns, Hassum Noormahomed; 5 cases fi hmaws, Dawoodbhoy Hassum; 6 bales leathers, Edward Bates and Co; 48 bales hides and 2 cases carpets, Muir and Co; 11 bales carpets, Khulfanbhoy Dama; 93¾cwts M of P shells and 171 cwts olibanum, Dawoodbhoy Hassum; 13 cwts hevsabole 11 cwts cundroos and 11 cwts gum copal, Cowrimbhoy Hussonbhoy; 261¾ cwts olibanum, Datardina Mowjee; 35 bales hemp, Curseondass Bhugwandass; 28 bales cotton, 1,155 packages ginger, 20 packages coir yarn, 439 packages coffee, 51 packages cardamoms, and packages tea, P. and O S N Co.

FOR AMSTERDAM.

Hordon s—700 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Woodville—500 bales cotton, Knoop and Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Cumberland—500 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Elpis s—100 bales cotton, A Blaschek and Co; 100 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 753 cwts rapeseed, George, Lockhart and Co; 750 cwts rapeseed, Vinay and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Bangalore s—125 bales cotton, P and O S N Co; 100 bales cotton, Tilok, Nixon and Co.
Medea s—200 bales cotton, Raili Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Bangalore s—48 bags coffee, P and O S N Co.
Medea s—699 bales cotton, Raili Brothers; 150 bales cotton, Knoop and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Plainmeller s—100 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.
Bangalore s—155 bags coffee, P and O S N Co.

FOR GENOA.

Bangalore s—121 cakes cocoannut oil, P and O S N Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Canara s—165 bales cotton, Ramjeedas Luckmedass.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY COLABA.
BOMBAY, 16th April 1879.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 a.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah	29·777
Temperature of the Air	81·2
Wet Bulb Thermometer	76·6
Dew Point	74·2
Relative humidity of Air	·815
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded =8).	1·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.).....	86·2
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.)	74·1
General Direction of Wind	NW, NNW, N, NNE, NNW, NW, WNW, W, WSW, WNW.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	286.

HIGH COURT.—APRIL 18.

[Before the Honorable SIR CHARLES SARGENT.]

772-77—Jefferson and P—Jewanjee Noorbhoy vs Cooverjee Lillachur and others—Smith and F—For continuation of counsel's reply.
183-79—Pestonjee K—Dossabhoy Bezunjee vs Cooverbai—Crisgie L and (—To be mentioned.
For investigation under Sec. 468 of Act. X of 1877.
In person—Gowroobai vs Dewjee Sewa Thackoor and others.

LONG CAUSES.

387-78—In person (a pauper)—Luxmibai *alias* Sonabai vs Sudanund Luxmonjee and others—Venayekrao H and In person—Parbhurd.
79-78—Nurbehar and H—Norbhoo Doongersey and another vs The G I P R ompany—Hearn, C and L—Settled.
640-78—J C Cama—Syed Ahmed Mustafa, &c., vs Shaik Ally Bin Hossein—Khandersey M.
400-78—Lynch and T—Radhakesson Khoosbalidass and others vs The G I P R Company—Hearn, C and L.
250-78—Hearn C and I—Nuserwanjee Ardesir Wadia vs Dawood Bowla—Crawford and B.
564-78—Bhaishunker N—N Dewsey Anund vs Gunsey Keswjee and others—H Bicknell.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—APRIL 15.

Hancock, Col, R E, from leave, from England.
Bennington, Surg Major, on duty, from Ahmedabad.
Waydon, Captain R E, from leave, from Broach.

APRIL 16.

Meiklejohn, Captain, R H A, on duty, from Madras.
Goodfellow, Col, R E, on leave, from Beegaum.

DEPARTURES.—APRIL 17.

Barclay, Lieut, Comst Dept, on duty, to Poona.
Setan, Captain, Staff Corps, on leave, from Mahableshwar.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(Bombay Government Gazette, April 17.)

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
Bombay Castle, 16th April 1879.

Colonel G G Cunliffe, 29th Regiment Bengal N I, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Lieut Montrose, 7th Bengal Cavalry, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Conductor M Bourke, Ordnance Department, Madras is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Conductor W Powell, Commissariat Department, Bengal, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Surgeon G Mc D Davis, Bengal Medical Establishment, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Lieut M Langharne, R E, Bengal, is allowed to proceed to Europe on sick leave on medical certificate.
Colonel R Davidson, Deputy Commisary General, Bengal, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Captain F W Bowbridge, Bengal Staff Corps, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Captain E M L Marriott, Commissariat Department, Bengal, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate;
Captain Reid, 29th Punjab N I, is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate. [The furlough granted in all the above cases in anticipation of that which will be granted to him by the Government of his own Presidency.]
Lieut C Nicholson, of the G I P Railway Volunteer Corps, is promoted to the rank of Captain.
Mr J M Shields is permitted to resign his Commission as Lieut in the Bombay Volunteer Rifle Corps.
The undermentioned officer is allowed furlough to Europe for twelve months, on medical certificate, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—Captain W C Morris, 7th Bombay N I.
G O dated 8th instant, granting furlough for six months on private affairs to Major Grant, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 13th N I, is cancelled at that officer's request.
Captain J Fagan, 2nd Light Cavalry, is appointed to act as Commandant of His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard during the absence of Major A Currie on furlough, or until further orders.
The undermentioned officer is allowed furlough to Europe for six months, from date of departure in May next, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—Captain F H Jackson, General List, Assistant Agent, Governor General, Baroda.

Captain H T Bulsley, Inspector and Adjutant, G I P R Volunteer Corps, is granted privilege leave for sixty days from date of departure.
The undermentioned officers have been granted by the Secretary of state for India extensions of leave for the periods specified :—
Major W T Brown, Staff Corps, three months, medical certificate.
Colonel G H W Fagan, Infantry, six months, medical certificate.
Surgeon G W R Hay, M D, four months, private affairs.
The undermentioned Medical officers are brought on the strength of the Bombay Medical Establishment from the 6th April 1879, the date of their arrival in Bombay :—Surgeon C G W Lowdell, H B Briggs, W P Carson, A S Faulkner.
Surgeon A H Anthonisz, MB, Army Medical Department, is appointed Secretary and Statistical Officer to the Surgeon-General, British Forces, vice Surgeon-Major Mackie, MD.
The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Bombay Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified : Lieut Phillipps, 15th Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 24th N I, 5th Feb 1877.
The promotions of the undermentioned Warrant officers ordered in G O No 296 dated 24th ultimo, are substantive and not substantive pro tem only :—Deputy Commissary C McMillan. Sub-Conductor Boyce.
The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Bombay Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified : Lieut Minchin, 7th Foot, Officiating Squadron Officer, poona House, 30th July 1877.
The services of Lieut L S H Baker are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for employment with the 3rd Punjab Cavalry.
Deputy Surgeon-General J M S Fogo assumed charge of the office of Surgeon General, British Forces, in this Presidency on the 14th instant.
The undermentioned officer, having completed twenty years' service to be Major from the date specified: Captain W A Salmon 12th April.

CIVIL APPOINTMENTS, &c.

Bombay Castle, 16th April 1879.

Rao Bahadur Keshowrao Bhaskerjee, First Deputy Assistant Political Agent, Kathiawar, is appointed to be the Morvi representative on the Cutch-Morvi Commission.
The following appointments are made during the absence of Rao Bahadur Keshowrao Bhaskerjee on special duty, or until further orders :—
Mr Dhanjisha Hormusji, Second Deputy Assistant Political Agent, to be substantive pro tem. First Deputy Assistant.
Mr Bhogwundass Ghelabhai, Third Deputy Assistant Political Agent, to be substantive pro tem. Second Deputy Assistant.
Asava Maganlal Bapubhai, Daftardar, Kathiawar Agency, to be substantive pro tem. Third Deputy Assistant Political Agent.
Mr J L Johnston is appointed, on being relieved by Mr Blathwayt, to act as Assistant Judge and Sessions Judge at Ratnagiri until further orders.
The privilege leave of absence for twenty-one days granted to Mr T B Kirkham, Acting Educational Inspector, C D, in Notification of 5th ultimo, is cancelled.
Mr R G Oxenham, M A, on his return from leave, to act (in the First Grade) as Principal and Professor of History and Political Economy in the Elphinstone College during the absence of Mr Wordsworth on leave, or until further orders.
Rao Bahadur Keru Lakshman Chaire to act as principal of the Deccan College during Mr Oxenham's absence, or until further orders.
Rao Bahadur Daji Nilkant Nagarkar to act (in the Fourth Grade) as Professor of Mechanism and Applied Sciences in the Poona Civil Engineering College during the absence of Professor J Georgie, or until further orders.
Mr Balaji Bapuji Sane, M A, LL C E, to act as Professor of Mathematics and Civil Engineering in the Poona Civil Engineering College during the absence of Mr. Nagarkar or until further orders.
His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr Jrattan Geary a Fellow of the University of Bombay.
Mr W S Heaton, Conservator of Forests, having returned to the Presidency on the 26th March, the unexpired portion of the sick leave for eighteen months granted to him from the 1st June 1878 is cancelled, and he is allowed fifteen days' subsidiary leave.
His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr Charles Pendlebury to act as Supernumerary Deputy Collector at Kurrachee till further orders.
Mr C G Blathwayt to be First Assistant Collector of Sholapur on his return from leave.
Mr J S Maidment, Assistant Superintendent of Stamps, is allowed privilege leave of absence for one month and fifteen days.
Mr Kashinath Krishnarao to act as Assistant Superintendent of Stamps during Mr Maidment's absence.
Assistant Surgeon R K Virji, L M, is permitted to resign the Bombay Medical Establishment.
The Honourable J Gibbs, C S I, has been allowed furlough to Europe for one year, from the 2nd instant.
Mr C F G Lester passed an examination in Marathi on the 18th instant.
His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr L W G Rivett-Carnac, Barrister-at-Law, to be Administrator General from the date of Mr W Loudon's retirement.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Mr R G Oka is appointed to act as Executive Engineer, Kaladgi, from the 22nd Feb until further orders.
The following Notification by the Government of India is republished for information :—
The following changes are ordered in the Superior Accounts Establishment with effect from 1st Jan 1879, vice Lieut-Col B J Firth, Executive Works Accounts, Class I, Class, First-Grade :—Mr F F Hensley, Deputy Examiner, Second Grade is confirmed in that Grade. Mr W B Gray, Assistant Examiner, Second Grade, is promoted, temporarily, to Assistant Examiner, First Grade.

PUNJAB GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(Punjab Government Gazette, April 10.)

Surgeon H Whitwell, whose services have been temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Civil Surgeon of Karnal.
The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr T H Thornton, DCL, CSI, Judge, Chief Court, Punjab, to be Vice-President of the Senate of the Punjab University College.
The services of Surgeon W A C Roe, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Jullundur, are rejoined at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.
Surgeon A C Keith is appointed to officiate as Civil Surgeon of Attock, in addition to his other duties.
Cap tain R J Wood-Gamble, 9th Native Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate of Mean Meer, in addition to his other duties.
Mr Stoddon, Judicial Assistant, Simla, is appointed Judge of the Court of Small Causes at that Station.
Mr Parker, Judge, Small Cause Court, Delhi, is appointed to officiate as Judicial Assistant, Delhi.
Mr Clifford, Deputy Registrar of the Chief Court, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Judge, Small Cause Court, Delhi.
Mr Tyrell, Judge, Small Cause Court, Lahore, is appointed to officiate as Judicial Assistant, Lahore.
Mr Marshall, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Amritsar, is appointed to officiate as Judge of the Small Cause Court, Lahore.
Major H D Douglas, R S C, whose services have been temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate of Jullundur.

CALENDAR FOR APRIL 1879.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

New Moon.....21st, 6h. 46·3m. p.m.

Date.	Remarks.	Sun rises. A.M.	Sun sets. P.M.	High Water.	Low Water.
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
Fri. 18	.....	5 42	6 16	{ 9 50 m { 9 54 a	3 37 m 3 50 a.
Sat. 19	.....	5 42	6 16	{ 10 28 m { 10 23 a	4 10 m 4 27 a.
Sun. 20	Low Sunday.	5 41	6 16	{ 10 58 m { 10 50 a	4 38 m 4 56 a.
Mon. 21	.....	5 40	6 17	{ 11 31 m { 11 19 a	5 5 m 5 32 a.
Tues. 22	.....	5 40	6 17	{ 0 2 m { 11 47 a	5 33 m 6 18 a.
Wed. 23	St. George.—English Mail expected.	5 39	6 17	{ 0 34 a { 0 14 m	6 2 m 6 32 a.
Th. 24	.....	5 38	6 18	{ 1 6 a { 0 54 m	6 40 m 7 4 a.

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The Indian Arms Act, 1878—With revised Rules and Notifications made by the Governor-General in Council on the 6th March 1879.

The Opium Act, 1878—With Rules and Notification made by the Governor-General in Council on the 30th March 1878.

The Bombay Salt Act, 1873—With Notification regarding Shipments of Salt to Calcutta.

The Salt Act, 1877.

The Stamp Act, 1879—With Notification and Rules made by the Governor General in Council on the 11th April 1879.

The Indian Ports Act, 1875.

The Native Passenger Ships Act, 1876.

The Abkari Act, 1878—With Rules and Notifications.

Periodical Survey of Steam Vessels Act, 1864—With Rules and Regulations made by the Governor in Council for the guidance of Shipwright and Engineer Surveyors, &c.

The Steam Vessel Survey Amendment Act, 1873.

The Bombay Port Trust Act, 1879.

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DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

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MARRIAGES.

CARRUTHERS—SMITH—April 9th, at St. Paul's Church, Nusseerabad, by the Rev. A. Stone, Captain I. Carruthers, Bombay Staff Corps, to Isabel, daughter of the late J. Smith, Esq.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

MARRIAGES.

HOSKYN—SC

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

NEWS FROM BURMA.

REPORTED WARLIKE PREPARATIONS BY THE KING.

RANGOON, APRIL 17.

Active and war-like preparations are being made at Mandalay, whence troops are being despatched at night time to Meuhla, a short distance beyond the frontier, and also to the Tonghoo frontier. In the latter direction Yohatwoon has been sent to take command, and at the former place the old Governor has been replaced by a more military character. The King is squeezing money from the old and new ministers all round under various pretexts. The Burmese in Mandalay shortly expect the arrival of two Russians, said to be traders. This visit is supposed to be the result of former attempts to open relations with Russia.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

THE RELIEF OF COL. PEARSON AT EKOWE.

STRONG ZULU RESISTANCE EXPECTED.

LONDON, APRIL 17.

Advices from Cape Town, dated 1st April, have been received which state that the force destined to relieve Colonel Pearson at Ekowe started from Natal on the 28th March. The force consists of 6,000 men of all arms, in addition to which there are two Gatling guns, two field guns, and several rockets accompanying it. Colonel Law commands the advance guard and Colonel Pemberton the rear guard. The relieving column was quite well on the 30th March, and Colonel Pearson had signalled that he saw the vanguard. On the 27th March he signalled that 200 men of his garrison were disabled, and that only 500 effectives now remained. A force of 35,000 Zulus await the relieving column.

ATTACK ON COLONEL WOOD'S CAMP.

News has also been received that 26,000 Zulus had attacked Colonel Wood's Camp near Luneberg, and that after two hours' fighting they were repulsed, not, however, before they had inflicted a loss on the British of 7 officers and 70 men.

SECESSION OF LORD DERBY.

Lord Derby has seceded from the Conservative Party.

THE ORIENTAL BANK MEETING.

At the Oriental Bank meeting to-day, the conduct of the Directors was approved by Lord Lawrence, Admiral Sir J. Commerell, and other high personages who were present, and the report was unanimously carried.

THE AFGHAN WAR.

In the House of Commons this afternoon the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in reply to a question, said the Government had received no information of a further advance into Afghanistan by our troops, and that furthermore, the Home Government had not ordered it.

THE ATTEMPT ON THE CZAR'S LIFE.

ST. PETERSBURG, APRIL 17.

It has been ascertained that a schoolmaster, named Solovieff, was the perpetrator of the attempted assassination of the Czar, and not Ivan Sokoloff, as was stated at first. His Imperial Majesty, in replying to congratulations offered on his escape, announced that extraordinary repressive measures would not be taken.

THE INCOMING MAILS.

ADEN, APRIL 17.

The P. and O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Zambesi, with the outward English Mails of the 4th April, sailed for Bombay at 10 P.M. last night.

LONDON, APRIL 16.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed quiet. Surats steady.

The London Cotton Market has been firm.

Fair Dholleras..... 4¼

The Manchester Market is firm.

Exchange on India, 60 days' sight 1-7½

4 per cent. Rupee Paper..... 73½

4½ per cent. do. 78½

3 per cent. Consols for account. 97½

5 per cent. French Rentes, 1872..... 115

Bar Silver..... 49½

About £250,000 have been paid into the Bank of England.

STEAMER REPORT.

GALLE, APRIL 17, 3-30 P.M.

Mail Steamer Kashgar, from Aden, arrived.

RATES OF EXCHANGE ON LONDON.

Bank Bills on demand	...1s. 7 3-16d.	per rupee.
Do. 6 months' sight	...1s. 7¼d.	"
Credits, 3	" ...1s. 7-16 to 15-32d.	"
Documents, 3	" ...1s. 1/2d.	"
France	...2·05.	

SIR RICHARD TEMPLE is expected to leave Bombay on the 21st inst. for a short visit to Toongar Hill. After a few days' stay there, His Excellency will return to Bombay, and on the 26th will take his departure by sea for Canara. It is unlikely that the Governor will go to Mahableshwar this season.

THE Bishop of Bombay is now in Poona, where His Lordship arrived on Monday evening, *en route* to Mahableshwar.

A MEETING was held on the 5th inst. at Calicut, at which it was resolved to form a Volunteer Rifle Corps at that place, and an influential Committee was appointed to make preliminary arrangements.

THE *Pioneer* :—Whether the army has to advance on Kabul or not there seems little probability in favour of the 3rd Division being organised. There has been an impression at the front, that this division would be required to protect communications of Sir Sam Browne for the west, but our latest information is such that Yakub Khan would be unwise to think his capital safe merely because the 3rd Division remains a paper force. The strings are pulled by more hands than one, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer has rather roughly declared in Parliament that it had been arranged with the Viceroy not to advance on Kabul without orders. But from day to day the Government at home deliberating over their telegrams from India may see fit to provide the required sanction. The question of an advance may still be unsettled, and may depend upon the course of negotiations still incomplete, but the Government evidently conceives itself quite ready to strike, as the force now stands, if the decision should be in favour of a blow.

THE Surgeon-General of the British Forces in India, Dr. Ker Innes, has been round the frontier with the Commander-in-Chief and has now returned to Simla, well satisfied, we believe, with the organization of his department.

THE *Pioneer* says :—There have been some proposals under consideration for a special census in Mysore, in anticipation of the transfer of the State to its native government. But it is now arranged that this will take place simultaneously with the next general census of India. This will be in time to constitute a record of the condition in which Mysore is passed over by the British Administration.

WRITING of railway travelling in India, the *Pioneer* says :—For a long journey with several changes, a sick person, or even one who is not strong, ought to have a "through" carriage with the means of lying down. At the same time the fares ought not to approach so near to the prohibitive standard as they do at present. For a married couple from Allahabad to Bombay the first class fare alone would come to Rs. 160. No wonder that so many carriages travel empty or only half-filled. If the fares were lowered 25 per cent, the railway management would probably lose nothing, while a great boon would be conferred upon the travelling public.

WE (*Madras Athenæum*) are indebted to the agent in Madras of the New Ice Company for a sample of their manufacture as it is now being sold in Bombay, where it is already in such demand that the local direction have had to send home for an additional machine. From the specimen sent us we should think the Tudor Company had at last met a really formidable rival. No one could imagine, much less make, *more* perfect ice than that sold by the American Company, but if the public is offered ice to all intents and purposes as good as that supplied by the Tudor Company, at a very much cheaper rate, we imagine a larger part of it will speedily forget the good service which the old company has rendered and desert it for the new manufacture. In appearance the new ice is very solid but has a *soupcon* of opaqueness which is not present in a block of natural ice. It is, however, perfectly free from taste and melts very slowly. We placed a block of each kind of ice of the same weight side and side and they melted away at exactly the same rate.

THE *World* :—Conversation is no doubt, as a rule, purer than it was a hundred years ago. There may be, and no doubt there is, less swearing in guard and mess-rooms than formerly; but young officers are probably not much more circumspect in their talk, when they are alone, than at any previous period. We are very fond of attacking our French neighbours and hurling at them accusations of immorality: the French stage—shocking; French novels—horrible; French home-life—not to be talked about! Yet the French are now beginning to retort that statistics of illegitimate births, of murders, robbery, and violence, are the mirror in which, if we choose, we may behold our true and particular visage. Morality of life is not loud-toned, does not easily take offence, is not fond of prating about itself; and facts are at all times sounder premises on which to found a judgment than blatant assertions. Judged by these latter, England is a land of decency, of religion, of high moral tone, where crimes ought to be unknown, and vice only remarkable for its absence. Judged by facts, things are very much of a muchness all the world over: the immorality of great cities is invariably appalling, distress and misery are its inevitable and ghastly companions. The foreigner's defects may be more evident and more striking, but are probably, for that very reason, all the more harmless, as an occult disease is more difficult to cure than the common childish illnesses from which every one suffers in turn. We do not like our infirmities and raws dragged into the light of day and exposed to public contumely; hence the impossibility of revealing poor-law iniquities, aristocratic misdemeanours, or corporate peccadilloes. All is for the best in this best of worlds; and we are a very moral people, except on those not too rare occasions when we are given to singing our own praises.

HIS EXCELLENCY Sir George Bowen, accompanied by Lady Bowen and family, has left Victoria *en route* to Mauritius, to assume the Governorship of that colony. His Excellency was presented with an address from the trades of Melbourne (who had organised a farewell demonstration in his honour), and in replying he appeared to be deeply moved, while Lady Bowen manifested great emotion on parting from her friends. His Excellency the Marquis of Normanby, the new Governor of Victoria, arrived in Melbourne on February 27, and was at once sworn in as Governor of Victoria.

THE *Ceylon Times* says that "a libel case, in which considerable public interest is manifested, was commenced in the District Court of Colombo on the 24th instant, when Mr. Dornhorst, proctor of the Supreme Court, sued the *Ceylon Observer* for damages in consequence of certain reflections passed upon his private and public character in that paper, or the occasion of the plaintiff advocating the claims of Mr. Brito to the Tamil seat in the Legislative Council. The case is not yet finished. Two other actions against the same paper are pending—one by M. Montclar, the enthusiastic advocate of a new system of coffee culture; and the other by Mr. Gould, a native gentleman prominently identified with a native local company."

THE quantity of cotton goods manufactured in the United States and exported from that country seems to be rapidly increasing. During the last financial year the exports are stated to have reached a value of $11,436,000, representing a quantity of 37,765,000 yards of coloured goods and 18,528,000 yards of white goods. These figures compare with a declared value of $10,181,000 exported in the previous year 1876-7. About one-fourth of the total annual production of raw cotton in the States is consumed by the local manufacturers, who employ 10,500,000 spindles, of which 8,300,000 are in the Northern States and but 600,000 in the South. The town of Fall River alone runs 1,300,000 spindles.

PEOPLE who have any experience of family quarrels about money must sympathise with the wives and offspring of Mr. Brigham Young. Mr. Young had about twenty-eight wives, who bore him an average of five children. Say he had a hundred and forty infants, and that brings him near the hundred and sixty-seven of Rameses II., which Mr. Gladstone thinks too many, though it falls far below the total of August the Strong of Saxony. Many of these children in turn seem very much married, so that Young is quite a common name in Utah. When Mr. Young died he left most of his property, and how much that was nobody knows, to the Church, and only provided for a few of his elder offspring. The "rank and file" of his family is unprovided for, and his thousands of heirs are expected to contest his will. The case will be one of the most colossal on record. There is an original, pre-Mormon, Mrs. Young still surviving. There is all manner of favourite wives, of beloved grandchildren, of descendants married "in and out and roundabout" in the most complicated way. The whole bar will be exhausted in providing counsel, and no mortal judge can expect to hear more than a small part of the case, which will increase in difficulty at the rate of compound interest, as the value of Young's investments and the number of his right heirs go on multiplying. America is likely to outvie, with the utmost ease, our petty Tichborne trial, and will be able to boast the largest lawsuit as well as the biggest waterfall in the universe. The religious complications of course will be numerous, and the contemplative mind is overwhelmed, as in the attempt to conceive of infinity, by the prodigiousness of the affair.

THE two Universities have encountered each other, for the first time as far as we are aware, at the game of golf. The Scotch pastime has long been naturalised at Westward Ho, Liverpool, Wimbledon, where the champions of the Universities played, and elsewhere in England. It must be admitted that no inland common, heath, or field, offers golf its proper home. To enjoy the game in perfection the neighbourhood of the sea is necessary, and the long "links," sand "bunkers," gorse, and bent-grass, which are common on the banks of the German Ocean. At Wimbledon certainly there are some very good "hazards," or perilous places—the worst of them is that they are rather too good. If the ball is struck into the deeply-wooded ravines, it can hardly be found again, or, if found, struck out by cleek or iron. The fine, careless wealth of "bunkers" which diversify the St. Andrews, Prestwick, and Musselburgh courses are absent in English heaths and commons. If the Oxford Club plays over Cowley Marsh the ditches between the College cricket grounds must make "hazards" too artificial and too regular in their recurrence. With these unavoidable drawbacks the game is a great boon to people who live a studious life. It gives interest and zest to walks which are so monotonous in the flat neighbourhood of the Universities. Golf washes all the cares and troubles out of the mind of a man while he is playing, and Charles I. was no true golfer, or he would not have thrown up his match unfinished when bad political news was brought to him on the links. The Highland chief of the legend who declined to go and meet a sudden foe till he had landed the salmon he had just hooked was a better sportsman and proved a more successful general. It is not at all likely that golf will draw away undergraduates from more strenuous sports, but it may be recommended to "dons" as the best and healthiest of winter amusements.

THE *Pall Mall Gazette*—Hitherto England has been the one country to which foreign Governments have come when they have desired to add to their navies men-of-war which they have not been able to build for themselves. It appears, however, that we are no longer to enjoy this monopoly. According to the *Cologne Gazette*, the private shipbuilding-yards which have been established on the northern shores of Germany are rapidly becoming central points for the construction of large ships for, at all events, all the northern countries of Europe. Already many vessels have been built on the slips of the North German Shipbuilding Company at Gaarden, near Kiel, for Denmark and for Sweden; and now the Vulcan Company at Stettin, which has lately completed one of the largest and most powerful ironclads in the German navy, has been commissioned to build several vessels of war for the Russian Government, while a large quantity of marine steam machinery has been ordered in the Egell factory for the Russian navy. The *Gazette* also states that the trials of German Coal for nautical purposes, which were begun in 1874, are to be continued this year. The results of the experiments made up to the present are reported to be on the whole satisfactory, especially of those carried out with coal from the Westphalian and Lower Silesian fields; it having been conclusively established that in case of need the German navy could get on very well with German coal, although it is at the same time admitted that no description of the latter has yet been found which possesses all the qualities desirable in fuel for marine steam-engines.

BOMBAY.

THE following programme will be played by the Band of H. M.'s Marine Battalion at the Apollo Bandar this evening :—

March .....
Overture.....Zampa.....Herold.
Quadrille .....Barbe Bleue .....Sauzan.
Selection.....Fausta.....Donizetti.
Valse .....Fusianen .....Strauss.
Galop .....Wirr Warr .....Faust.

THE quantity of cotton shipped from the ports in Sind to foreign or external ports during the month of March was 4,678 candies and 336 lbs., valued at Rs. 6,21,909.

THE VEHAR LAKE.—The height of water in the Vehar Lake for the week ending Saturday 12th April was 50 feet and 6 tenths. In the corresponding week last year it was 47 feet and 3 tenths.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor, accompanied by Viscount Hinchingbrook and Captain Frith, paid an unexpected visit to the Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy Hospital, late on Wednesday evening, and on leaving, His Excellency expressed himself to Dr. Cook and Dr. Anderson, as much pleased and gratified by his visit to the hospital.

VISITORS TO THE HIGH COURT.—Yesterday the undermentioned gentlemen visited the High Court and sat for some time with Mr. Justice Bayley on the bench of the Criminal Court :—Viscount Hinchingbrook, M. P., Captain Bowden Smith, R. N., of the Eurydice, and Major Rivett-Carnac, Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor.

STATEMENT OF SILVER BALANCE IN THE MINT.—The value of silver in the Mint on the morning of the 7th April was Rs. 1,52,12,760, add silver received during the week Rs. 16,23,142. The sum of Rs. 18,00,000 in new coin was paid during the week; the balance left was Rs. 1,55,35,902. There is in addition bullion valued at Rs. 74,53,949 belonging to private individuals deposited in the Mint vaults and awaiting assay.

MORTUARY RETURNS.—The total number of deaths registered during the week ending Tuesday, 15th April, was 467, being 38 more than in the previous week, 51 less than the total of the week ending 16th April 1878, and 75 less than the mean of the corresponding period in the preceding five years. During the week 231 births were reported in the different districts of the city. The rate of mortality per 1,000 of the population was 36·63. There were 153 deaths from remittent fever, being 8 less than in the previous week and 23 less than in the same period last year. There were no deaths from cholera last week as compared with 2 in the week previous. The deaths from diseases of the respiratory system, diarrhœa, and dysentery were last week 37, 29, and 34 respectively, as compared with 46, 19, and 18 last year.

FURIOUS DRIVING.—Cassum Salloo, a hack buggy driver, was yesterday fined Rs. 40, or in default to six weeks' rigorous imprisonment, by Mr. W. Webb for rash and negligent driving, and thereby injuring one Currimese, girl.

TRESPASS.—A Goanese, named Louis Francis, was yesterday fined Rs. 15, or in default to three weeks' rigorous imprisonment, by Mr. W. Webb, for wilfully trespassing in the dwelling house of Alice Souza, without any satisfactory excuse.

EVADING THE LIQUOR LICENCE.—Dorabjee Nowrojee, a shopkeeper, was yesterday charged, at the instance of Mr. Inspector Framjee Bhicojee, before Mr. W. Webb with selling spirituous liquor by retail without a licence. He was fined Rs. 15.

A WARNING TO HACK BUGGY DRIVERS.—Nowrojee Jerwanjee, a hack buggy driver, was yesterday fined Rs. 15, or in default to three weeks' rigorous imprisonment, by Mr. W. Webb, for leaving his buggy and horse at such a distance as not to have the same under due control.

ASSAULTING A PUBLIC SERVANT.—A Hindu, named Babajee Calloo, was yesterday convicted by Mr. W. Webb of assaulting Dadabhoy Burjorjee, an Inspector in the License Tax Department, while in the execution of his duty as a public servant. He was fined Rs. 30, or in default to six weeks' hard labour in the Common Jail.

CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST.—Bugwandass Gungaram, an embroiderer, was yesterday convicted by Mr. W. Webb of committing criminal breach of trust in respect of five silk *sarrees* and seven pairs of silk trowsers, of the collective value of Rs. 139, belonging to Heerjee Ardaseer Dadee, entrusted to prisoner in the month of August 1878. He was fined Rs. 200, or in default to four months' rigorous imprisonment. Alloo, named Khan Mahomed Munsey, a dealer in hides, appeared also yesterday before Mr. Nana Morojee and obtained a warrant for the arrest of Hassum Cassum *alias* Hussum Kutchoo, whom he charges with criminal breach of trust and criminal misappropriation in respect of a sum of Rs. 265-9-6, alleged to have been received by accused on account of the complainant, and which amount has not been accounted for but has misappropriated it to his own use and absconded from Bombay.

THE FLEMING SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY.—Yesterday, at the High Court chambers, Mr. Taylor, on behalf of Jairam Lukmidas and others, the petitioners, appeared before Sir Charles Sargent in support of a summons which was issued last month, calling upon all parties concerned to show cause why they should not proceed with the liquidation of the concern. This was a voluntary liquidation continued under the supervision of the court by an order made on the 1st March last. Mr. Macfarlane appeared in support of the summons on behalf of two dissentient shareholders and creditors for about a lakh of rupees. Mr. Thackerdas, who appeared for the petitioners, said he and his friends understand why the summons was taken out, as he thought it was, necessary. Mr. Lunnchy of Messrs. Craigie, Lynch, and Owen, on behalf of Messrs. Jehangir Gustadjee and Nanabhoy Rustomjee Ranina, the liquidators, said his clients were doing all they could in proceeding with the liquidation, and asked that the summons be dismissed. His Lordship dismissed the summons, each party to pay his own costs except the costs of the liquidators, which were to be paid by the petitioners.

A BANIAN MURDERED AT SHOLAPUR.—A Banian aged about twenty-five years has been murdered at Sholapur. His body was found lying near the city on the 9th instant, and up to this date the perpetrator of this foul deed has not been traced by the police.—*Poona Observer.*

THE SECOND CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

FOURTH DAY, THURSDAY, 17TH APRIL.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. JUSTICE BAYLEY.)

THE MEMON MOHLA MURDER CASE.

Ameer Tyeb, a middle-aged Mahomedan with several *aliases*, was charged with the murder of Dadoo Shaik Imam, committed on the 6th March last. The Advocate General and Mr. Inverarity, instructed by the Public Prosecutor, appeared for the Crown; and Mr. Rivett-Carnac conducted the defence. The following gentlemen were called upon the

SPECIAL JURY.

Mr. T. H. Moore—Foreman.

Mr. H. Forman. Mr. H. W. Jones.
Mr. D. R. Knote. Mr. Babajee Kassinath.
Mr. Dadabhoy B. Jesjeebhoy. Mr. A. DeGlarke.
Mr. Futteh A. S. Ahmed. Mr. D. McLauchlan Slater.

The Advocate General briefly stated the facts of the case. The deceased kept a shop at the corner of Memon Mohla for the sale of sherbut and sodawater. The prisoner was married to the sister of deceased's wife, but was not on good terms with her, and she had in consequence been living for some time with the deceased and his wife. Owing to the quarrel between prisoner and his wife there had been a personal enmity between prisoner and the deceased. On the day preceding the murder, prisoner was brought before Chief Presidency Magistrate, Mr. Cooper, to answer a charge of not supporting his wife. On the morning of the day the offence was committed, prisoner rushed into the deceased's shop and struck him several blows with a knife. The deceased was carried to the hospital, and prisoner was seized upon the spot with fresh blood upon his clothes.

Sooleman Currim Mahomed examined by Mr. Inverarity:—I work in the bandra and live at Memon Mohla. I knew the deceased ever since he opened a shop at the corner of the street for the sale of sodawater and sherbut. Our jumat-khana is situated in the street. A few days ago, on my way to the jumat-khana, I saw deceased sitting in his shop behind a fire with a kettle in one hand, and with the other hand fanning the fire. The shop abuts on the road, and he was sitting in the front of the shop. As I was passing, I saw prisoner going into the shop suddenly and striking deceased with a knife in the right side. Deceased fell down. On getting up again, he cried out "*sepoy, sepoy.*" The prisoner then struck him again with the knife on the left shoulder, and another blow on the left side. Prisoner then ran away, and some people ran after him. I ran for the police. When the police pursued prisoner, he said "If any one comes to seize me, I shall stab him." I saw the knife in prisoner's hand. It was a new, large knife. The blade was of the length of my hand. I saw the deceased at the *morgue*. I brought a *sepoy* to whom I pointed out the prisoner, who was arrested.

Soobhana Hajee Jooma examined by the Advocate General—I live at Jackaria Musjid and work at the bandar. On the morning of the 6th March last, I was standing at a shop for the sale of *beedees*. On turning round, I saw the prisoner strike the deceased with a knife in his right side. Deceased tried to clasp the prisoner with both his hands. Prisoner then struck him in the left hand. Deceased called out "*sepoy, sepoy,*" and in coming out, he fell down on to the *beedee* shop where I was. Prisoner ran away, pursued by ten or twenty men. I saw a knife in his hand. I was among the pursuers. I saw him seized by the police. From the time he ran away up to the time he was seized I had not lost sight of him. I saw him wipe the knife, close it, and fling it over a roof. I had not seen him before.

Mahomed Ibrahim, who saw the deceased struck by the prisoner three blows with a knife, generally corroborated the preceding evidence. Other witnesses were also examined. Shaik Yakoob, a police-man, said he found the deceased lying on the ground ten paces off from his shop, and that he took him in a bigry to the Jamsetjee Hospital while he was in an unconscious state, but that he died on reaching the hospital. The knife, which the prisoner was said to have used, was searched for and found in the prisoner's house.

The case for the prosecution had not finished when the court adjourned at 6 p.m., until this (Friday) morning. The special jury were sent to Watson's Hotel in charge of police officers for the night.

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PUBLIC MEETING AT GOGO IN HONOUR OF DR. LEAHY'S DEPARTURE.

DR. LEAHY'S FAREWELL ADVICE TO THE INHABITANTS OF GOGO.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

On the 10th instant a public meeting was convened by the officials, merchants, and other leading inhabitants of Gogo in honour of Dr. Leahy, on the occasion of his leaving that locality. The chair being taken and the purpose of the meeting explained, Mr. Dajibhai, in the course of a highly eulogistic speech, said that the people were exceedingly sorry at Dr. Leahy's departure from among them, and felt themselves bound to acknowledge in this public way their deep gratitude to the doctor for the great services he had rendered them in his capacity as medical officer, that not only were the people of Gogo itself laid under heavy obligations to him, but from the surrounding villages and towns within a radius of 40 miles patients, hearing of his skill and kindly bearing, had availed themselves of his services, and that though owing to the great prevalence of sickness during the past year, and the Doctor's popularity, he had had from 200 to 250 patients to attend every day, and though the dispensary was altogether under-manned and unsuitable for the attendance of large numbers, yet, instead of complaining or turning the applicants away unattended, he had devoted his whole time to their benefit, even to the extent of depriving himself of his regular meals. It was cause of great regret to the people of Gogo that their petition to Government to retain Dr. Leahy had been disregarded.

Mr. Chugganlal [Christian] next made a lengthened speech showing how Dr. Leahy had not only discharged his duty as a Government officer, but was going far beyond statutory requirements, and the practice of many doctors who work merely according to law, had with great benevolence and unselfishness met the particular medical wants of the community, the poor and those who could reward him only by their gratitude, receiving his special care; and how his kindly treatment of all classes was constantly attested by the numbers of people who would gather round him in the streets to express their gratitude or ask advice.

Rao Saheb Lalshunkur, subordinate judge, then followed in a classic speech, in which he said that, though he had been only a few days in Gogo and had not had time to form much acquaintance with the people, yet from what he had heard of Dr. Leahy he was very glad to be present and to testify to the high esteem in which the doctor was evidently held by all classes and the genuine sorrow with which his removal was regarded. He was strongly of the opinion that the proceedings of the meeting and the gratitude of the inhabitants should not be confined to mere words, but should take some permanent shape which would at once perpetuate Dr. Leahy's name among them and be also a benefit to the community. Both the doctor and himself being Government servants, he was not in a position to move either a presentation or an address. He would therefore move the formation of a fund out of which to erect a new book case in the library to be called "The Leahy Case." There could be no question but that a man who devoted himself so heartily to the relieving of pain and sickness, even over and above the mere demands of official regulations, and that too, without any expectation of reward, was worthy of high honour and affectionate remembrance, and this Dr. Leahy had plainly done in Gogo.

This motion was seconded by Mr. Munsukhram, and unanimously and enthusiastically passed, and after a number of other speeches of similar import, Dr. Leahy expressed his thanks to the meeting and the inhabitants of Gogo for the honour and good will that had been shown towards him, suggesting his name with the Chief Department of the library, which, he said, was the best form by which he could have desired the honour to be expressed. To any sort of honour, however, he laid no claim, as he had only done what is the duty of every doctor, namely, to the utmost of his ability to relieve the sufferings of the people in the district committed by Government to his care, and that, too, even at the expense of his own comfort or private interests. Laws are required for law-breakers only, but a true doctor should require no laws to make him do his duty as a healer of the sick. What gave him special pleasure was that he had gained the confidence and attachment of the community, that he had been able to relieve a great deal of suffering and save many lives, and that the people had come to put confidence in English medicine and surgery. He lamented that owing to the unprecedented amount of sickness in and round Gogo during the past year, and to his having had to be so much by himself, he had been unable to do all he wished for the sick, but what he had done he had done with pleasure and according to the dictates of his conscience. From the inconveniences and cold-like way nature of the place it was one which, as a matter of course, been a sufferer, but this could not be helped, and he was glad that his year's life in it had not been fruitless of benefit to the populace.

"Before bidding you all good bye," said Dr. Leahy, "I should like to offer a few words of advice on the important subject of *sanitation*, and I trust you will give the matter your most serious consideration. If the people of this country knew how to keep themselves in health and carried the knowledge into practice, they would have much less need of a doctor among them. Sanitation has received great attention in Europe, and to show you the benefits to health derivable from the applications of its principles, the city of London, where these principles are most efficiently carried out, and which has the enormous population of thirty-five *lakhs* of human beings, the public health is better and the mortality lower than even in many small provincial towns, where sanitation is less regarded. If you would keep in-doors and your surroundings perfectly clean, for cleanliness is the watchward of sanitation. This is not a matter for Government or for a municipality, but for *each individual*, for it is plain that every one should do his utmost for the preservation of his own health and life and the health and life of his family. It is certain that at least a half of the diseases of this country are attributable to dirt, bad air, and bad water and therefore preventable. Everyone should therefore be his own doctor, so far as the prevention of his health that doctors would be little required, except for accidents; and every one should remember that prevention is better than cure. Sanitation, therefore, which is a preventive measure, occupies a higher platform than even medicine.

Let me first mention the necessity of pure air and ventilation. Oxygen is the life-giving agent in the atmosphere, and the more it is reduced in proportion to the other constituents of the atmosphere the more incapable is the air of sustaining life, and the more is our life in danger. The oxygen is lessened, for example, by our breathing, and another very destructive gas, or rather carbonic acid, is increased by breathing the air; and hence the crowding of houses, and especially sleeping rooms at night, is most injurious and produces many diseases. Each adult breathes about 300 cubic feet of air in a night, and if this be not kept pure by the escape of the breathed air and the supply of fresh air from without, he must suffer. The crowding of houses with human beings and the keeping of cattle in dwelling houses are both very bad for health. The air is also vitiated by foul gases arising from dirt and decaying substances; and hence you should always keep your houses and streets perfectly clean. The sallow, sickly faces of thousands of women and children in towns and villages show that they are breathing impure air in their houses and innumerable deaths occur every year from this cause alone. To attribute sickness and death to fate or evil spirits, as many people do, is mere superstition. It is much more sensible to find out the real cause in the filthy condition of the streets and remove it at once.

Let me next say a word about water. For drinking and bathing everybody should use clean good water. A great deal of disease is caused by the use of bad water. Open tanks or water, especially in the hot season when the tanks are nearly dry, is totally unfit for drinking, and it is greatly to be regretted that the people of this country make no effort to purify their water, except by filtering it through a cloth, which is of very little use. The direct good water has been clearly shown in Bombay, where cholera and other forms of disease have become much less frequent since the introduction of plenty of wholesome water, which is carefully filtered through charcoal on its way from the reservoirs to the supply pipes. You cannot be too careful about the water you drink; and always make sure that it contains no decomposing organic matters, and does not percolate through soil impregnated with sewage liquid or noxious gases.

This is too wide a subject for me to enter into now, so let me just epitomise my advice thus :—1. Do your utmost to live in pure air, and secure good ventilation in your houses, and especially in your sleeping rooms at night. 2. Remove all refuse and filth of every kind from your houses and streets before it has time to decay. 3. Make sure that you have always good wholesome water for drinking and household use, and never drink water the quality of which is doubtful. Finally, be careful of the quality and quantity of the food you eat. This remark is most important, for the habit of over-eating at feasts is very prevalent in this country. So much sickness is caused by dietary evils, that I have known people coming to the doctor suffering from disordered stomachs. I am accustomed to ask them if they have been lately at a feast, and very generally have my suspicions confirmed by their replies.

With these brief parting words of advice, which I should like to extend into a long lecture on sanitation, I again thank you for the honour you have done me by this public meeting and bid you all an affectionate farewell."

A subscription list was then handed round, and about Rs. 100 towards the "Leahy Book Case" raised on the spot, and it is expected that the sum will shortly be a great deal more. Dr. Leahy and the chairman, Rev. Lal Rea, were then garlanded with wreathes of jessamine, and the usual showers of rose water and the distribution of the never failing *pan sopari* terminated the proceedings of a most agreeable and hearty meeting.

SEASON REPORTS.

THE following Season Reports for the week ending 9th instant are published for general information :—

Shikarpur.—Rabi outturn promises fair.
Upper Sind Frontier.—Rabi pro-pects fair.
Broach.—Rabi harvest progressing.
Surat.—Rabi crops mostly reaped; cotton being picked.
Thana.—Rabi being gathered.
Kolaba.—Rabi reaping commenced.
Ratnagiri.—(For week ending 1st inst.)—Reaping of Vaingani rice begun.
Ahmednagar.—Rabi harvest finished throughout district.
Satara.—Rabi reaped.
Kaladgi.—Cotton picking continues, damaged by rats.
Belgaum.—Rabi reaped. Cotton picking nearly completed.
Dharwar.—Outturn of late crop estimated not to exceed 2½ annas.
Wadhwan.—Crops good.

GENERAL GRANT ON ENGLAND AND ENGLAND'S RULE AND INFLUENCE.

THE following speech was recently delivered by General Grant at Penang, in reply to an address from the Chamber of Commerce :—

General Grant said, in response, that he was extremely obliged to the gentlemen of the Chamber of Commerce of Penang for their address, and for the reception that had been accorded to him. This however was only in keeping with the cordiality and hospitality he had received from every part of the British empire he had visited since his landing in Liverpool nearly two years ago. His reception in England was continued with unabated, he might say with increasing kindness, in the colonies of Great Britain throughout the vast Indian empire which he had just visited. This was very grateful to him, not alone because of the kind and flattering words with which these receptions were always accompanied, and to which he was far from being insensible, but because it showed a good feeling towards his own country. In that sense more than any other, the kindness he had received in England and in English colonies was grateful because he believed that the welfare of the Anglo-Saxon race, he might say of the world, depended more than upon any other cause upon the harmony and good feeling of this one people—one people in race and civilization, although two nations. He did not think it was any disrespect to the other great civilized powers of Europe,—he certainly did not so intend—when he said that the civilization which finds its home in England is better calculated than any other to bring the greatest good to mankind. Wherever we see the English flag we see the civilizing, as in Penang, he felt that it would be in the end a great blessing to the people of all classes. As allusion had been made to his own efforts when he was in office to bring about a settlement of the questions at issue between England and America at the close of the war. That policy, he wished to say, was simply carrying out a conviction which he had entertained long before he held any office, that the first thing to be considered in our relations with other nations was a good understanding with England. With this conviction, he felt it his first duty to urge with all his ability the settlement of the questions arising out of the war, and the removal of all festering sores between the two countries. He regarded the existence of such questions as a scandal. He had no reason to feel dissatisfied with the results of those efforts, and his experience since he came abroad only confirmed him in that belief. The two nations were now as one nation in the development of their civilization, and he wished every effort of the English success because the advancement of the common civilization of the two countries meant the happiness, the prosperity and the peace of the world.

GENERAL GRANT'S REPLY TO AN ADDRESS FROM THE CHINESE.

General Grant said it afforded him a special pleasure to receive the address which had just been read. He was about to visit China, having received a warm invitation to do so, and he was very anxious to see with his own eyes the institutions and people of that country. To be met with a welcome from Chinamen in this Colony, therefore, was gratifying. There was one point in the address, in reference to the passage by Congress of a Bill restricting the emigration of Chinamen to the United States. He knew nothing of such a Bill, except what he had read in the telegraphic despatches in the last English newspapers. He knew nothing of the details of the Bill. He had been absent from the United States for some time, and was not perfectly informed of the public sentiment which had supported the Bill. In all questions like this, there were demagogues who would pander to prejudices against race or nationality, and favour any measure of oppression that might advance their interests. A good deal of the feeling against people of other races in the United States was demagoguery, and did not represent the better feeling of the country. In this question of the Chinese emigration there was something to be said in favour of those who advocated a measure limiting emigration of the Chinese to America. In his earlier years, when a young officer in the army, the General said he spent some time in California, and saw then something of the beginning of Chinese emigration to the United States, and of the objections to that emigration on the part of good people. That was the beginning of this whole agitation. He remembered very well the objections. It was not to the Chinamen coming to the United States, but to their coming in a condition of slavery. He hoped when he visited China to look into this question more closely, to see for himself the practical operations of the Chinese emigration to the United States, as it was a question on which he felt the deepest interest, affecting as it did, the welfare of the two nations. But the gentlemen who presented this address could well understand the objections on the part of the American people to receiving emigrants who come, not as citizens, but as slaves. It was in order to free one race from slavery, to put an end to a condition of things that was degrading to both races,—black and white,—that we fought a long war, losing a great number of lives, with an enormous waste of treasure. This was a terrible sacrifice,—he questioned if any nation ever made a greater one. It was to suppress slavery. Having made these sacrifices for the sake of slavery, it would not be expected that the Americans would consent to the revival of another victim of slavery in which the Chinaman and not the negro was the form. As he understood the objections which he put forward by the Legislature without authority, in the councils or the government of the country, and consequently the authors of the address have overrated his influence in the settlement of the question. But it was one which, as a matter of course, had been a sufferer, but this could not be helped, and he was glad that his year's life in it had not been fruitless of benefit to the populace.

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